

VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF MINES, MINERALS AND ENERGY

2013

**VIRGINIA COAL MINE SAFETY
AWARDS**

***“Dedicated to the Health and Safety of Every
Virginia Coal Miner”***

***Virginia Coal Mine Safety Awards
are presented on behalf of the
Virginia Coal Mine Safety Board and
the Department of Mines, Minerals
and Energy.***

***These awards publicly recognize
outstanding safety achievements in
the state's coal mining industry.***

SPECIAL AWARDS

TWIN STAR MINING, INC.

Lower Elk Creek



Surface Mine Working
Five Consecutive Years With No Lost Time Accidents

DICKENSON RUSSELL COAL COMPANY

Roaring Fork No. 4



**Underground Mine Working
Three Consecutive Years With No Lost Time Accidents**

SANW, INC. Mine No. 3

Member of the Virginia Small Mine Safety Service Program



**Underground Mine Working
Three Consecutive Years With No Lost Time Accidents**

CAPITAL COAL CORPORATION

Mine # 8

Member of the Virginia Small Mine Safety Service Program



Underground Mine Working
Three Consecutive Years With No Lost Time Accidents

PIONEER COAL INC. Mine #1

Member of the Virginia Small Mine Safety Service Program



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Three Consecutive Years With No Lost Time Accidents

N & N MINING, LLC

Mine No. 2

Member of the Virginia Small Mine Safety Service Program



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Three Consecutive Years With No Lost Time Accidents

DACOAL MINING, INC.

No. 5

Member of the Virginia Small Mine Safety Service Program



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BLACK DIAMOND COAL COMPANY

Mine No. 1

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INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

SCOTT BROWNING

Dickenson Russell Coal Company



46 Years - No Lost Time Injury

GEORGE CANTRELL

Dickenson Russell Coal Company



43 Years - No Lost Time Injury

CHARLES G. HARMAN

Consol Energy



38 Years - No Lost Time Injury

ERMEL OWENS

Dickenson Russell Coal Company



35 Years - No Lost Time Injury

DONALD DUNCAN

Dickenson Russell Coal Company



35 Years - No Lost Time Injury

RICHARD PERKINS

Consol Energy



26 Years - No Lost Time Injury

VICTOR WALLACE

Dickenson Russell Coal Company



25 Years - No Lost Time Injury

KENNY RICHARDSON

Consol Energy



24 Years - No Lost Time Injury

KEVIN STOUT

Dickenson Russell Coal Company



23 Years - No Lost Time Injury

BENNIE JOHNSON

Dickenson Russell Coal Company



21 Years - No Lost Time Injury

ROGER G. NEAL

Consol Energy



21 Years - No Lost Time Injury

CHRIS VANCE

Dickenson Russell Coal Company



21 Years - No Lost Time Injury

CRAIG EDWARDS

Dickenson Russell Coal Company



20 Years - No Lost Time Injury

MIKE STACY

Dickenson Russell Coal Company



16 Years - No Lost Time Injury

GREGORY KEITH DYE

Consol Energy



10 Years - No Lost Time Injury

Photos Not Available

Randle Smith – Dickenson Russell Coal Co., 40 years

Danny Lee – Dickenson Russell Coal Co., 37 years

Seth Haynes – Dickenson Russell Coal Co., 27 years

Keith Horn – Dickenson Russell Coal Co., 24 years

Tam Childress – Dickenson Russell Coal Co., 23 years

Sam Knott – Consol Energy, 20 years

Lee Baker – Dickenson Russell Coal Co., 17 years

Glenda Thornsberry – Consol Energy, 10 years

Craig Gilbert – Dickenson Russell Coal Co., 10 years

The background of the slide is a complex geometric pattern of overlapping squares and rectangles in various shades of teal, blue, and green, creating a modern, abstract look.

COMPANY AWARDS

Small Underground Category

BLACK DIAMOND COAL COMPANY

Mine No. 1

Member of the Virginia Small Mine Safety Service Program



Small Underground Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 24,118 Employee Hours

DACOAL MINING, INC.

No. 5

Member of the Virginia Small Mine Safety Service Program



Medium Underground Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 22,699 Employee Hours

N & N MINING, LLC

Mine No. 2

Member of the Virginia Small Mine Safety Service Program



Medium Underground Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 38,537 Employee Hours

COMPANY AWARDS

Medium Underground Category

AB&J COAL COMPANY, INC.

No. 6 Mine

Member of the Virginia Small Mine Safety Service Program



Medium Underground Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 43,378 Employee Hours

SANW, INC. Mine No. 3

Member of the Virginia Small Mine Safety Service Program



**Medium Underground Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 38,537 Employee Hours**

CUMBERLAND RIVER COAL COMPANY

Band Mill Mine



**Medium Underground Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 35,215 Employee Hours**

BRISTOL COAL CORPORATION No. 9

Member of the Virginia Small Mine Safety Service Program



Medium Underground Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 31,490 Employee Hours

PIONEER COAL INC. Mine #1

Member of the Virginia Small Mine Safety Service Program



Medium Underground Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 28,929 Employee Hours

CAPITAL COAL CORPORATION

Mine # 8

Member of the Virginia Small Mine Safety Service Program



Medium Underground Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 27,493 Employee Hours

FOUR-O MINING CORPORATION No. 10

Member of the Virginia Small Mine Safety Service Program



Medium Underground Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 26,659 Employee Hours

COMPANY AWARDS

Large Underground Category

DOMINION COAL CORPORATION

#7



**Large Underground Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 182,337 Employee Hours**

PARAMONT COAL COMPANY VIRGINIA, LLC

Deep Mine 37 (Day Shift)



Large Underground Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 173,903 Employee Hours

PARAMONT COAL COMPANY VIRGINIA, LLC

Deep Mine 37 (Evening Shift)



Large Underground Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 173,903 Employee Hours

DICKENSON RUSSELL COAL COMPANY

Roaring Fork No. 4



**Large Underground Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 86,533 Employee Hours**

BANNER BLUE COAL COMPANY

Paw Paw Mine



Large Underground Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 81,706 Employee Hours

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COMPANY AWARDS

Small Surface Category

DOMINION COAL CORPORATION

Dominion Central Shop



Small Surface Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 22,877 Employee Hours

HAROLD KEENE COAL COMPANY, INC.

Flat Rock Prep Plant



Small Surface Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 11,934 Employee Hours

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COMPANY AWARDS

Medium Surface Category

TWIN STAR MINING, INC.

Lower Elk Creek



Medium Surface Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 35,941 Employee Hours

APPALACHIA CONTRACTORS, INC.

#5 Surface Mine



Medium Surface Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 31,651 Employee Hours

REVELATION ENERGY, LLC

H-1



Medium Surface Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 27,062 Employee Hours

COMPANY AWARDS

Large Surface Category

EXTRA ENERGY

Virginia Point No. 1 Surface Mine



Large Surface Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 245,396 Employee Hours

LONE MOUNTAIN PROCESSING

Lone Mountain Processing Plant/6C Mine



Large Surface Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 228,006 Employee Hours

PARAMONT COAL COMPANY VIRGINIA, LLC

88 Strip



Large Surface Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 126,652 Employee Hours

CUMBERLAND RIVER COAL COMPANY

Pardee Plant/Loadout



Large Surface Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 109,872 Employee Hours

SURFACE MINERALS COMPANY

3 Pole



Large Surface Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 106,085 Employee Hours

PIGEON CREEK PROCESSING CORPORATION

Plant No. 1



**Large Surface Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 70,841 Employee Hours**

REVELATION

S-5 Jones Fork



Large Surface Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 70,460 Employee Hours

HUMPHREYS ENTERPRISES, INC.

No. 26 Strip



Large Surface Category
NFDL Rate of 0 for 54,560 Employee Hours

**CONGRATULATIONS TO
ALL OUR 2013 WINNERS!**

*Thank you for your effort
in making Virginia Coal
Mines a safer place to
work.*